

(b) Carting the sleepers from lorry site to Government Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravati.

N.B.—Rates should be per sleeper.

3. The power of acceptance of any lowest or other tender rests with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who does not bind himself to accept or reject any lower or other tender without assigning any reasons therefor.

4. The successful tenderer will be required to execute an agreement within a week from the date of receipt of intimation of acceptance of tender embodying the required conditions and furnish security deposit of Rs. 500 per each item of work including the earnest money; failing which the earnest money paid will be forfeited, the contract cancelled and further action taken to dispose of the contract otherwise.

5. The contractor should collect and prepare sleepers from out of the trees assigned by the Range Officer, Agumbe.

6. The sleepers should be supplied by the end of February 1955 in monthly proportions to be fixed by the District Forest Officer.

7. Payment will be made once in a month as follow on presentation of bills through the Range Forest Officer, Agumbe:—

(1) On passed sleepers in the jungle for sleepers prepared and carted to lorry site.

(2) On sleepers carted from lorry site and delivered at Government Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravati as per plant receipts.

8 (1) The Contractor will not be paid for rejections exceeding 5 per cent at the plant.

(2) Unfit and useless materials should not be transported to the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravati.

Any other details and conditions can be had from the District Forest Officer, Shimoga during working hours.

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BHADRAVATI FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 19th July 1954.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati Division, Bhadravati, up to 4 P.M. on Monday, the 2nd August 1954 for the several works in the Sandal Koti at Tarikere notified in Notification dated 2nd June 1954, published on page 830 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 10th June 1954.

The approximate quantity to be prepared is 200 tons.

The terms and conditions specified in the Notification dated 2nd June 1954, hold good for this tender also.

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Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is drawn to Notification dated 19th July 1954, regarding tenders for supply and repairs of Elephant Accoutrements for 1954-55, published on page No. 1079 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 29th July 1954.

The last date for receipt of tenders is Friday the 6th August 1954 by 4 P.M.

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Notification dated 23rd-27th July 1954.

Sale of Minor Forest Produce in Bhadravati Division for 1954-56.

It is hereby notified for the general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Minor Forest Produce in the State Forests, Village Forests, Reserves and other Government unoccupied lands for a period of 24 months from 1st July 1954 to the end of 30th June 1956 of the Narasimharajapura Taluk will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati on Saturday the 28th August 1954 at 2 P.M.

Date and place of sale:—Range Forest Office, Narasimharajapura at 2 P.M. on Saturday the 28th August 1954.

The sale conditions are as usual and can be had from the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati.

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Notification dated 27th July 1954.

It is notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Tupra leaves on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations in Bhadravati Division for 1954-7, will be sold by the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati, in his office on the date noted below:—

N.B:—(a) Government have reserved their power of issuing individual licenses for *bona fide* local consumers free or otherwise.

(b) Excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Khayamgutta, Sarvamanya and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals as well as Village Forests.

1. The auction sale will commence at 3 P.M. and if it is not concluded on the same day, it will be continued on the next following day.

2. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

3. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which they reside, vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such certificate.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the Officer holding the sale, a sum Rs. 100 which must be in the form of currency notes. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

5. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation, as the case may be, of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, pay 50 per cent of the first instalment, together with cesses and sales-tax on the entire sale amount, including the deposit already made and the balance on confirmation.

The second instalment should be paid by the 1st January 1955 of coming year; and the third instalment by the 1st January 1956 of the succeeding year.

In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchasers who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

N.B:—If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as a revenue demand.

7. If the sale is not confirmed, the amount paid will be refunded.

8. The accepted bidder shall execute an agreement within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned duly furnishing a security deposit equal to one-fourth of the sale amount or Rs. 500 whichever is less. In default, the acceptance of the bid will be provoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold.

9. Interest at the rate in force will be levied on all belated payments.

10. Other conditions are as usual and can be had from the District Forest Office, Bhadravati, during working hours.

Sl. No.	Taluk.	Place of sale.	Date of sale.
1.	Bhadravati (will be sold Hobliwar.)	The District Forest Office, Bhadravati.	Wednesday, 25th August 1954.
2.	Channagiri		
3.	Narasimharajapura		
4.	Tarikere		

N.B:—Sl. Nos. 2, 3 and 4 will be sold Talukwar.

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SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 20th July 1954.

Auction sale of Thangadi and Kakke Bark.

It is hereby notified for the General information that the exclusive right of collecting Thangadi and Kakke bark on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal kavals,